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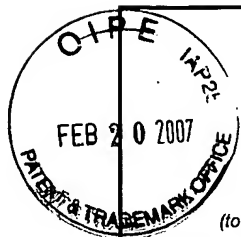
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated December 21, 2006 for which a three-month period for response was given making this response due on March 21, 2007. As such, this communication is timely filed.

In view of the remarks set forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.